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Earlier and Greater Nation than Aztecs Disintegrated from Oppression.

WERE HIGHLY CIVILIZED

Built Civilization Centuries Before Christ-Plotting Among the Rulers Started Downfall, Says Morley,

Though the Spanish burned their "An Evening's Journey Among the benana fiber records, the lost history of Stars." Though the Spanish the lost history of banana fiber records, the lost history of the great Maya empire of Yucatan was placed together yesterday before the Congress of Americanists. The address was given by Sylvanus G. Morley, of the was given by Sylvanus G. Morley, of the Wesley M. E. Church, Fourteenth and Wesley M. E. Church, Fourteenth and Sylvanus G. Morley, and Wesley M. E. Church, Fourteenth and Sylvanus G. Morley and Sylvanus G. Morley M. E. Church, Fourteenth and Moses E. Moses E.

This nation, which came to its downfall through graft and civil war only a few years before the coming of the Span-ish invaders, was, say scientists, by far the greatest nation of people that lived upon this continent prior to that time greater than the Aztecs of Mexico or the Incas of Peru. Mr. Morley has found the cause of the civil war and even the names of the princes who caused the

Had Cities and Tempies.

is only by deciphering the inscriptions on those and piecing together the scraps of their history as read to the ignorant early Spanish and by them recorded, that their story has been gotten together.

"They were a highly organized community," declared Mr. Morley, "with great cities and magnificent temples. Their history sort of burst on us about the year 40 A. D. or cycle \$ in the Maya chronology. Their calendar alone shows a development of a high type of civilization. They must have been building upsuch a civilization for centuries, but the

that their monuments prior to that time the nation seemed to decline and the people gradually migrated and col-onized farther north. What adverse influence caused them to leave the south and go into Yucatan proper is south and go into Yucatan proper is not known. But after about 500 years, tants of the District will meet this

greater achievements in art and sci-

Revolts Followed Oppression. Chac Xib Chac, ruler of Chichen

Itza, plotted against the prince ruling Mayapan, and war between them re-sulted. This later prince called in some of the inferior but more warlike Toltec people of the north and Chichen Itza was beaten. Then fol-lowed a readjustment of power, and Mayapan exercised an overlordship over Chichen Itza. They employed the Toltec mercenaries more and more, and the rule of the royal family, known as the Cocom family, became more tyrannical.

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by High School Authorities.

Stephen E. Kramer, assistant superinseveral weeks ago for carrying out the city, and against Harry B. Goldsmith, the high school cadets and decided taht one of the first steps taken will be to make safer the targets now being used in the schools for rife precision. LIQUORS

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The plans include the bringing back by trolley to the marksmen the targets but which shots have been fired, instead of the boys going to the front of the left of understand, and have no reputation. range to inspect the results of their work

s heretofore.
Soon after the reopening of classes, commissions will be presented to the

Freshmen Hold Dance.

The freshman class of the College of charmacy of George Washington Univer-ity held a Christmas dance Wednesday hight at the Terrace Inn. "Steve" Hughes was Santa Claus, and the merrymakers rathered around a huge Christmas tree

The Town Crier

The president and members of the Cosmos Club will receive this afternoon at the clubhouse, 1520 H street northwest, from 3 to 6 o'clock, for nen only.

The Phi Sigma Kappa Fraternity will keep open house this afternoon from 7 to 3 o'clock at the chapter house, 1916 Sixteenth street north-west.

Epsilon Chapter of the Sigms Chi Fraternity of George Washington University will celebrate the new year. as usual, with a reception to the alumni of the fraternity at the chap-ter house, 1333 Fifteenth street northwest, this afternoon from 2 to 6

The Washington Society of Engineers has arranged for a lecture at Memorial Continental Hall on Wednesday night by Dr. John A. Brashear or

Clapp, of Minnesota, and Representative Martin B. Madden, of Illinois.

"Constructive Peace" will be the subject of a lecture in the drawing-room of the Brighton on Tuesday night by Miss Laura Clay, of Kentucky. The Petworth Woman's Club will receive at Petworth M. E. Church on Monday night from 7:30 to 10 o'clock.

Mrs. John McMechan will be in gen-eral charge of the musical program. These people, said the speaker, lived first in Southern Mexico and Central America. For fifteen centuries they preserved their culture intact. Their history is left only in stone monuments, and it is left only in stone monuments, and it can be deciphering the inscriptions.

of Nebraska.

such a civilization for centuries, but the choir will render appropriate selec-only way we have of accounting why we have no relics to speak of before that is

"Economics of Water Powers, with must have been in wood and therefore decayed."

About 500 A. D., the speaker said, mos Club on the night of January 11 before the Washington section of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

devoted to conquering the dryer cli-mate, the same Maya people, with the same language and methods of writ-ing, appear to have awakened to The Women's Interdenominations

ence than before.

Three great cities—Chichen Itza,
Mayapan, and Uxmal—shared equally
in the government of the country.

The women's intercentional conduct a week
of prayer at St. Paul's English Lutheran Church, commencing on Monday.
The general theme will be "Peace and
The general theme will be "Peace and The general theme will be "Peace and Unity." The committee in charge consists of Mrs. W. B. Hartley, Mrs. Fred Beall, Mrs. S. C. Cissel, Miss B. V. Flynn, and Mrs. J. A. Cunningham.

The Washington Kennel Club will meet on Monday night in the grotto room of the store of Ed. S. Schmid, 712 Twelfth street northwest. Election of efficient will be held.

tion of officers will be held. John O. Evans is president and Charles A. Watson is secretary.

"Single Tax, in Theory and Prac-tice" will be the subject of a lecture on Monday night at Public Library under auspices of the Women's Single Tax Club of the District by H. Mar

Marks-Goldsmith Company.

A fraud order was issued yesterday ndent of public schools, and Lieut E. by Postmaster General Burleson Steever, U. S. A., yesterday took up against the Marks-Goldsmith Company, consideration of plans outlined Incorporated, music publishers of this tion or standing as such."

Revival Meetings Opened.

Revival meetings were started at the watch-night services last night at Shiloh Baptist Church ("Strangers' Home"), with Evangelist C. Le Roy Butler, D. D., and his wife assisting the pastor. T. H. Ward is in charge of the music

Y. W. C. A. Will Hold Open House. for presents. Ralph Dean was chairman of the dance committee, assisted by Laurence Taylor and Kancy Li. The chaperons were Dr. and Mrs. Bradbury, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Dean.

W. G. A. Will noid Upen House.

Mrs. Mary C. Stevens and the members of her Bible class at the Y. W. C. A., 612 Fourteenth street northwest, will be hostesses this afternoon at an informal reception at the association from 3 to 9 o'clock.

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Bit More," will be sung at all "thrift" meetings or street rallies.

A feature of the campaign in Wash-

ington will be the establishment of sav-ing clubs among school children. Ch.ir-mai. Devereux - iid last night that these clubs would not be established until later

The bankers will have the co-operation

here, and throughout the country, of the Y. M. C. A., the National Americaniza-

tion Committee, which will work among

the immigrants, and the National Civic

MOTOR GOSSIP

By "SI" GROGAN

Elkins Reed. Southeastern representative

of the Pennsylvania Rubber Company, who has been spending the holidays fr

Washington, leaves tomorrow night for

Richmond.

be used as an office

turned home yesterday.

B. F. Zimmerman, who handles the Stewart-Warner products and a service station, is meeting with considerable success in the Stewart air starter for Ford cars. The device weighs but forty

Fred Harveycutter, who has been in Philadelphia for the past few days in the interest of the Kelly-Springfield tire, re-

A Seattle, Wash., owner of a Cadillac Eight has driven his car 22,000 miles in the last eleven months. This is an aver-

B. Z. Zimmerman, who handles the

A happy and prosperous New Year!

BIRTHS REPORTED.

Rotary Club Has Pie Dinner.

American Institute of Banking Launches Nation-wide Saving Movement.

President Wilson signed an executive order yesterday permitting the employment within the classified service without civil service examination, of Mra. Marion K. Ferguson, of Washington, whose husband was stricken with paralysis while serving in the navy, in the Spanish-American war. the Spanish-American war. men will admonish you to start the new

By an executive order signed by the President yesterday, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Pettus, widow of Maj. Harry L. Pettus, U. S. A., may be appointed to the classified service without civil service year with a saving account. The parade of "sandwich" men is the first step in a nation-wide campaign being launched by the American Institute of Banking to make the American people thrifty.

aign, lasting throughout the year and eaching from Maine to Florida and from New York to San Francisco. In this city Printing Office, was called to Des Moines it will be directed by the Washington Iowa, serveral days ago by the illness Chapter of the American Institute of of his brother. Banking. A committee of twenty-one, with Frank B. Devereux, of the National Savings and Trust Company, as chair-

Bankers of national prominence have where he spent the holidays with rela-

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Taylor, of Pitts burgh, are registered at the Raleigh. Incidentally, 1916 is the centennial of

the birth of the savings bank in the United States. Each of the twenty-one men on the local committee will be trained in public speaking, and will address civic bodies, fraternal socities—in fact, all ing at the New Willard. S. W. Mason, connected with the im classes of organizations on the advan-

Harold E. Cleaves has resigned from the position of assistant chemist in the Bureau of Standards, Department of The committee has not decided on an official slogan for the campaign in Washington but "Every Little Bit Added to What You've Got Makes Just A Little

> registered at the Raleigh yesterday. Senator-elect Kenneth McKellar, of

In the year. Manufacturers and others who employ large numbers will be asked to support the campaign by spreading the message of "thrift" among their Al. Hamen, well-known New York theatrical producer, was a Washing-ton visitor yesterday.

Agriculture, is expected to return to the city early next week from Ohio, where he spent the holidays with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Jerome A. Bell, of Elk-

Henry Johnson, who has been dep-uty United States marshal at the Po-lice Court for eighteen years, has ten-dered his resignation, to take effect

Harry Cogswell has been elected president of the two-year graduating class of Business High School.

States Cavalry, superintendent of Tel-lowstone Park, has come to Washing-ton for duty at the Interior Depart-ment in connection with the work of his office in the park. He has many

Owing to lack of sufficient showroom space, the Combs Motor Company has been compelled to build a balcony to

Joseph N. Tomm, 24, and Leon K. Jack, 28. Rev. M. A. Horwitz.

George M. Troup, S. of New York, and Ada S. Ingley, 20, of Stratford, Va. Rev. E. K. Hardin. Charles N. West, 40, and Leura V. Wynkoop, 38. Rev. F. J. Prettyman.
Benjamin H. Wolever, 28, and Lestie Champion, 36, of Houston, Tex. Rev. J. H. Dunham.

COLORED.

Edward H. Carson, 25, of Rectortown, Va., and Emma Stewart, 30, of Delaplatne, Va. Rev. S. G. Lamkins. Emma Stewart, 39, of Detaplatine, Va. Rev. S. G. Lamkins. George J. Burgess, 51, and Hattie Anderson, 36, Rev. J. E. Willis. Leon Wortell, 23, and Virginia E. Foloy, 20. Rev. Leon Wortell, 20, and Virginia E. Foley, 20. Rev. W. H. Brooks.

the last eleven months. This is an average of 2,000 miles a month, or better than 186 miles per day. The ordinary motor car a owner in a city will drive an average of probably 5,000 miles per year.

This Cadillac is the first of the eight-cylinder type delivered to a Seattle buyer. In spite of the fact that the distance it has covered is nearly equal to the earth's circumference, it has never been overhauled and the owner has just completed a tour of 1,400 miles in California. league, will have charge of the program at the next meeting of the league which will be held Thursday at 8 o'clock at 2007 Columbia Road. Mrs. Florence Jackson Stoddard will be the principal speaker. Mrs. Anna E. Hendley, president of the league, will give an account of the recent National Woman's Suffrage Convention. DEATHS.

WHITE.

Elsie E. Gleanon, 27 years, 768 F at, sw.
Paul Leume, 40, Casualty Hospital Ambulance.
Hugh H. Turner, 18, Sibley Hospital,
Granville M. Payne, 28, Gort, Hospital Insane.
Ida E. Wetznich, 69, 1234 W st. nw.
John A. Goos, 28, Casualty Hospital.
Maurica, R. O'Connell, 4 days, Georgetown Hospit.
William F. Anderson, 5 days, 448 N. Y. ave. nw.
Infant of Edward and Annie O. Brown, 3 days, 107
ligh st. ne.

COLORED.

William Johnson, 50 years, 2014 H st., nw., Israel M. West, 55, 512 C st. ne.
Walter Terrell, 19, 1922 L st. nw., Lucien Mines, 27, 331 Mo. ave. nw., Emma Newman, 65, Tuberculonia Hospital. Licretia, Livers, 28, 669 H st. se.
Lawrence Payne, 11 days, 415 I st. nw.

LOCAL MENTION.

Start 1916 laughing. See Charlie Chap-lin in "Work." Virginia Theater today.

Hominy, 3c ib.; black-eyed peas, 5c; navy beans, 7½c; llms beans, 8c; 4 lbs. macaroni or spaghetti, 25c; 4 lbs. fancy head rice, 25c; 4 lbs. evap. peaches, 25c; 4 bots. vanilla or lemon, 25c; jelly mints, 20c lb.; walnuts, 19c; fat Norway mackerel, 5c and 10c; 7 lbs. buckwheat, 25c; sugar corn, 5c and 10c; 3 cans Sweet Wrinkle peas, 25c; tuna flsh, 7c and 10c; 2½-lb. cans Karo syrup, 10c; Star of the East flour, 84c, 1438 P St. N. W. and all the J. T. D. Pyles stores.

Vernon A. Caliar and Priscilia Caliar, girl.

Maurice R. and Mannaerite E. O'Counell, boy. Charles X. and Maris L. Moran, boy.

Thomas and Rose Tolliard, boy.

George W. and Faith E. Bradford, boy.

Alfred and Grace Savage, boy.

Arthur and Martha Underwood, boy.

Leo and Anna J. Sickets, girl.

Robert A. and Mary M. McKelden, girl.

William H. and Mary M. Wyman, girl.

John H. and Rose E. Haske, boy.

Edward and Annie Brown, boy.

Leo and Theresa Diegolmann, girl.

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Louis and Suale Hawkins, boy.

Alfred and Chloe Gross, girl.

James and Irone Anderson, girl.

Mortimore and Helon Harris, girl.

Charles and Dora Brown, girl.

Andrew and Mattie Statesman, girl.

William and Ida Froctor, boy.

Walter and Linzie Washington, boy.

Rodger and Louise Shumate, girl.

James and Blanche McKinney, girl.

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James and Bessie Roberta, boy. The North Capitel Savings Bank, having declared its usual 3 per cent per annum dividend, has mailed checks to the fortunate stockholders in this growing institution. Officers of the bank also wish to extend the compliments of the season to the patrons of the bank.

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Purely Personal

Miss Louise Spaiding, of Kansas City, and Miss Ethel Gray Gardner, of Wilson, N. C., are the house guests of Miss Eleanor B. Farmer, of 1264 Columbia

Joseph Harper Batt, of the Department of Agriculture, has returned to the city after spending Christmas with relatives in Philadelphia.

W. W. Fowler, of the Bureau of Immigration, Department of Labor, is expected to return to work Monday from his leave of absence which is extending over the holidays.

Charles Stutsman, of the Governmen

W. B. Mansfield, of the Postoffice De-partment, is expected to return within the next few days from Manasses, Va.,

Bankers of national prominence have realized that the wholesale destruction of capital in Europe will place the United States in the position of a creditor, no longer able to finance its established industries and support new ones on borrowed money. They point out that under such conditions, being aggravated as the war goes on, it has become a necessity for the American people to save systematically.

Bankers of national prominence have where he spent the holidays with relatives.

Dr. Walter C. Murphy has returned to the city from Burgaw, N. C., whither he went last week to attend the obsequies of his mother, who died at the advanced age of 32.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Taylor, of Pittsburght, are registered at the Raleigh.

K. C. Schuyler and wife, prominent esidents of Denver, Colo., are stop-

migration service, in the Department of Labor, stationed at Cleveland, is spend-ing a short vacation in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nash, of Norfolk,

Tennessee, is a new arrival. The New Willard is where he is stopping.

Spry O. Clayton, of the Department of

hart, Ind., are stopping at the Raleigh

Col. Lloyd M. Brett, First United

Anthony League to Meet. The Suffrage Committee, of the Anthony eague, will have charge of the program

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'PEACE AND UNITY" TO BE PRAYER WEEK TOPIC

TODAY

SUNDAY

Missionary Union Will Conduct Daily Senior Class at G. W. U. Medical Services Next Week at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. A week of prayer, with "Peace and

unity" as the general theme will be opened at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Eleventh and H streets northwest, at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, under auspices of the Woman's Interdenominational Missionary Union. Rev. John T. Huddle, pastor of the church, will open the services. Among the speak-ers on Monday afternoon will be Mrs. Ellis Logan and Mrs. J. T. Shadle. The

on January 3.

On January 3 there will roll from the Union Station at 8:25 p. m. the magnifi-cent Seaboard Florida Limited on its initial journey to Palm Beach and Miami for the tourist season of 1316. In Chiago Miami for the tourist season of 1916. In appointments, equipment and schedule the Seaboard Florida Limited will be without a peer in the Florida service. It is to be a solid steel train, all Pullmans, electrically lighted. Besides the usual complement of drawing-room, compartment and section sleepers, diner and observation car, the limited has the distinction of being the only Florida train that carries a library club smoking car.

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New

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Broadway "gags" and

parodies.

School Abolishes Plan, But Freshmen Adopt It. The question of the adoption of the se-

called honor system for examinations and recitations has caused a split among the students of the George Washington University Medical School. The senior class has decided to abolish the system, which has been in operation for several years, and the freshman class, on the other hand, has decided to adopt the system.

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